(b) what is the total amount spent during this year with details of the heads on which expenditure was incurred by these four academies?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA): (a) and (b) According to the Govt. of National Capital Territory of Delhi, the total amount of grans given during the year 1992-93 to the various academies and amount spent against that is as follows:—

Name of the Academies	Amount of grants given during 1992-93 (Rs.)	Amount spent (Rs.)
Delhi Hindi Academy	60,18,995	59,24,303
Delhi Urdu Academy	83,41,000	82,31,794
Delhi Sanskrit Academy	20,19,163	20,19,163
Delhi Punjabi Academy	1,78,000	1,58,000

The main heads of expenditure are salary a!nd allowances; publication of books/journals; acquisition of library books; seminars/conferences; educational activities etc.

Selection of Handicapped persons in non. collegiate classes

1114. SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any reservation provided for physically handicapped persons including blinds, for admission of students in non-collegiate courses of the Delhi University;

(b) if so, the derails thereof for different categories of physically handicapped persons including blinds separotely for each category;

(c) whether it has come to Government that criteria fixed in this regard is not being following and a number of physically handicapped persons, including blinds, who sought admissions in the above mentioned courses in August this year have not been selected; and

(d) if so, the details of such considering category wise, and the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN 1HE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DE FIT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELIA): (a) The University of Delhi has informed that there is no reservation provided for physically handicapped persons for admission to non-collegiate courses of the university. The physically handicapped persons, including blinds, are given weightage/conces_ sion upto 10 per cent for placement in the merit list for admission to various courses other than those to which admissions are made on the basis of competitive examination conducted by the University.

(b) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Links of IDOL Thieves with *3* & K Militants

1115. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA- Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news item published in the Tribune dated 5th September. 1993 under the caption "Idol Thieves. had links with J & K militants"; and